

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – P.R. & R.D. Department – Sri G. Sanjeev, formerly District Panchayat Officer, Karimnagar District now District Panchayat Officer, Adilabad District – issued irregular instructions to collect Rs.100/- per tractor and Rs.200/- per lorry of sand – Article of Charge issued under Rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CCA) Rules, 1991 – Explanation submitted – Warning – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.III-A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1195

Dated:12-8-2009.

Read the following:-

1. Appraisal Report No.18 dt.24-1-2005 of General Administration (V&E) Department.
2. From the Commissioner, P.R. & R.E., Hyderabad. Letter No.2531/CPR&RE/A4/2005, Dated13-5-2005.
3. G.O.Rt.No.795, P.R. & R.D. (Vig.III-A) Department, Dated:14-5-2009.
4. Explanation of Sri G. Sanjeev, former D.P.O., Karimnagar and now D.P.O., Adilabad District dt.6-7-2009.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, General Administration (V&E) Department, has brought to the notice of Government that Sri G. Sanjeev, former District Panchayat Officer, Karimnagar instead of taking steps to control the illicit quarrying of sand in the Manthani reach of River Godavari, Karimnagar district has directed the Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Manthani in his Lr.No.A2/2003/98-Pts., dt.1-3-2004 to collect the seigniorage fee of Rs.100/- per tractor and Rs.200/- per lorry. The D.L.C. alone is competent to issue temporary permits under Rule 9 (L) of rules issued in G.O.Ms.No.1, I & C Dept., dt.1-1-2001 for lifting and transportation of sand. Thus the action of Sri G. Sanjeev, District Panchayat Officer, in asking the M.P.D.O. to issue way bills and collect seigniorage fee is in violation of the above rules.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad has stated that as seen from the explanation of Sri G. Sanjeev, it is observed that he has not followed the procedure laid down in Rule 9(L) of APMMC Rules issued in G.O.Ms.No.1, dt.1-1-2001 for confirming the temporary permits for sand quarrying and sent the proposal along with explanation for taking necessary action as the Government are competent authority to initiate action against the District Panchayat Officer.

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3. In the reference 3rd read above, Government have framed Article of Charges against Sri G. Sanjeev, former District Panchayat Officer, Karimnagar, under Rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991 with a direction to submit his written statement of defence within 10 days from the date of receipt of the article of Charge. Sri G. Sanjeev, former District Panchayat Officer, Karimnagar has submitted his written statement of defence vide reference 4th read above.

4. Government was convinced with the explanation of Sri G. Sanjeev and hereby 'let off' him from the case. However, Sri G. Sanjeev, should have got the orders of Collector before issuing instructions to M.P.D.O. Hence, Sri G. Sanjeev, former District Panchayat Officer, Karimnagar, now District Panchayat Officer, Adilabad is hereby warned to be careful in future.

5. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad is requested to take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.V.P.C. SASTRY,
PRL. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Commissioner,
Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad.
Sri G. Sanjeev, District Panchayat Officer, Adilabad
through the Commissioner, PR&RE, Hyderabad.
The Collector (PW) Karimnagar
The Collector (PW), Adilabad.
Copy to:
The General Administration (V&E) Department.
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